



PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 04329.2222-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Kouji MATSUO et al.) Group Art Unit: 2814
Application No.: 10/815,932) Examiner: Rao, Shrinivas H.
Filed: April 2, 2004) Confirmation No. 9409
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME	,)))

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 21, 2007, the period for response to which extends through June 21, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are set forth beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.